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DEVICE FOR SPRAYING WATER IN THE FORM OF A THIN-WALLED HOLLOW JET FOR THE FORMATION

OF ARTIFICIAL SNOW

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